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NOTIFICATIONS

MEGHALAYA STATE ELECTRICITY REGULATORY COMMISSION

The 17th September, 2009.

No.MSERC/Amendt-17/09/18.—The following Code which the Meghalaya State Electricity Regulatory Commission proposes to make in exercise of the powers conferred by section 181(1) (x) read with section 50 of the Electricity Act, 2003, is hereby previously published as required under sub-section (3) of the section aforesaid and notice is hereby given that any person or person interested in the matter may send their objections or suggestions to the **Secretary of the Commission at the New Administrative Building, Lower Lachumiere, Shillong-793001**, within thirty days from the date of publication of this notification in the Gazette of Meghalaya for consideration by the Commission, namely-

The Meghalaya Electricity Supply (Amendment) Code, 2009.

(No. _____ of 2009)

1. **Short title and Comment.**— (1) This Code may be called the Meghalaya Electricity Supply (Amendment) Code, 2009.
(2) It shall come into force on the date of its publication in the Gazette of Meghalaya.

2. **Amendment of clause 6.**

In clause 6, sub clause (1), of the Meghalaya Electricity Supply Code, 2006 (7 of 2006) (hereinafter referred as the principal Code), for the words “bi-monthly basis” the words “monthly basis” shall be substituted.

3. **Insertion of a new clause 7A.**

After clause 7 of the principal Code, the following shall be inserted as clause 7A, namely-

“7A Cheques when dishonored.

“When payment of electricity bill or bills is made by a cheque and the cheque is dishonoured by the bank the consumer or, as the case may be, every consumer concerned with the bills shall, notwithstanding any penal law in that regard, be liable to pay a sum of rupees two hundred only as fee for processing and correcting the entries in the books or accounts as may be necessary”.

4. Amendment of clause 13.

In clause 13 of the principal Code, for sub-clauses (1) and (2) the following new sub-clauses shall be substituted, namely-

- "(1) An owner or occupier of a premises desiring to get supply of electricity thereto shall make an application to the licensee and the application shall be accompanied by-
- (a) a test report;
 - (b) a fee of rupees two hundred only in the case of domestic consumption, commercial consumption or public service consumption; and
 - (c) a fee of rupees ten thousand only in the case of industrial consumption.
- "(2) The application and test report referred to in sub-clause (1) shall be in forms as may be prescribed by the licensee in consultation with the Commission."

5. Insertion of a new sub-clause in clause 17.

In clause 17 of the principal Code, after the existing sub-clause (1), the following shall be inserted as sub-clause (2), namely-

- "(2) A fee of rupees two hundred only shall be leviable for effecting a change of name of a consumer."

6. Amendment of clause 18.

In clause 18 of the principal Code, the existing sub-clause (2) shall be omitted.

Secretary,
Meghalaya State Electricity Regulatory Commission
Shillong.

**GOVERNMENT OF MEGHALAYA
FINANCE (PAY REVISION) DEPARTMENT**

The 17th September, 2009.

No.F(PR)-47/2009/1.

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Subject:— Recommendations of the Fourth Meghalaya Pay Commission—Revised rates of Dearness Allowance to State Government employees, pensioners/family pensioners effective from 1st January, 2007, 1st July, 2007, 1st January, 2008, 1st July, 2008 and 1st January, 2009.

The undersigned is directed to say that consequent upon the decisions taken by the Government on the recommendations of the Fourth Meghalaya Pay Commission relating to Dearness Allowance at Item 3 of the Resolution, the Governor of Meghalaya is pleased to decide that the Dearness Allowance payable to all categories of State Government employees, pensioners/family pensioners in the revised scales of pay/ pension with effect from 1st January, 2007 shall be admissible from the dates and at the rates mentioned below:-

<u>Date from which payable</u>	<u>Rate of Dearness Allowance</u>
From 1st January, 2007	No Dearness Allowance
From 1st July, 2007	3% of basic pay
From 1st January, 2008	7% of basic pay
From 1st July, 2008	10% of basic pay
From 1st January, 2009	16% of basic pay

2. The payment of Dearness Allowance under these orders from the dates indicated above shall be made after adjusting the instalments of Dearness Allowance already sanctioned and paid to the State Government employees for the periods from 1st January, 2007 *vide* O.M. No.F(PR)- 69/97/109, dated 29th March, 2007, from 1st July, 2007 *vide* O.M. No.F(PR)-69/97/113, dated 10th October, 2007, from 1st January, 2008 *vide* O.M. No.F(PR)-69/97/117, dated 25th April, 2008, from 1st July, 2008 *vide* O.M. No.F(PR)-69/97/120, dated 13th October, 2008 and from 1st January, 2009 *vide* O.M. No.F(PR)-69/97/123, dated 6th April, 2009.
3. These orders shall also apply to the members of the work-charged establishment and casual workers, other than Bungalow Peons, holding posts in the scales of pay as admissible to the employees of corresponding categories under the regular establishment/services/posts. These orders shall further apply to the teaching and non-teaching staff of the deficit institutions, including Primary Schools, as and when the revised pay scales applicable from 1st January, 2007 are extended to them.
4. The Dearness Allowance under these orders shall remain suspended if the pensioners/family pension holders are employed/re-employed under the State/Central Government or employed/re-employed/ permanently absorbed in the State or Central Government's Company, Corporation, Undertaking or Autonomous Body. It shall, however, be revived after the spell of such re-employment/employment.
5. In the case of a government employee who opts to retain the existing scale of pay of a post held by him until he earns the next increment or any subsequent increment in the existing scale of pay, Dearness Allowance at the existing rate(s) shall continue to be paid to him during the period he opted to retain the existing scale of pay.
6. For the purpose of calculation of the Dearness Allowance in respect of those employees who elect to come over to the revised scales of pay, 'pay' shall be as defined in F. R. 7(17)(1) of the Meghalaya F. Rs. & S.Rs, 1984. However, in the case of those government employees who elect to retain the existing scale of pay which prevailed prior to 1st January, 2007, 'pay' shall mean 'pay in the existing scales of pay and dearness pay' admissible as on 1st January, 2007.

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6. The payment on account of Dearness Allowance involving fractions of 50 paise and above may be rounded off to the next higher rupee and the fraction of less than 50 paise may be ignored.
 7. The payment on account of the Dearness Allowance sanctioned herein shall be debited to the respective heads of accounts from which the employees draw their salary and the pensioners/family pension holders, their pension.

B. K. DEV VARMA,
Principal Secretary to the Govt. of Meghalaya,
Finance Department.

**GOVERNMENT OF MEGHALAYA
FINANCE (PAY REVISION) DEPARTMENT**

The 17th September, 2009.

No.F(PR)-49/2009/1.

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Subject:- MEDICAL ALLOWANCE.

The undersigned is directed to say that consequent upon the decision of the Government on the recommendations of the Fourth Meghalaya Pay Commission at Item 4 of the Resolution relating to Medical Allowance, the Governor of Meghalaya is pleased to order payment of Medical Allowance at a uniform rate of Rs.700/- p.m. to all categories of Government employees, subject to other terms and conditions governing the grant of the allowance remaining the same.

This order shall also apply to all categories of State Government employees, government pensioners, family pension holders, All India Service Officers who either retire from Meghalaya Wing or from the Centre while on deputation from the Meghalaya Wing or even Public Sector Undertakings, etc., on deputation from Meghalaya and to those All India Services Officers of Meghalaya Wing of the Assam-Meghalaya Joint Cadre who have been re-employed after retirement and retired judges of the High Court having jurisdiction over and who are residing in Meghalaya unless they choose to opt for Rules otherwise applicable to them in this behalf.

The Governor of Meghalaya is further pleased to order that the arrears accruing on account of the revised rate sanctioned herein shall be released in cash to all categories of State Government employees, pensioners mentioned above.

The expenditure on account of the revised rate accruing in the context of this Order shall be debited to the respective Head of Account from which the employees draw their salaries and the pensioners their pension.

Formal amendments to the Meghalaya Medical Attendance Rules, 1981 shall be made in due course.

This order shall take effect from 1st September, 2009.

B. K. DEV VARMA,
Principal Secretary to the Govt. of Meghalaya,
Finance Department.

**GOVERNMENT OF MEGHALAYA
FINANCE (PAY REVISION) DEPARTMENT**

The 17th September, 2009.

No.F(PR)-50/2009/1.

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Subject :- HILL COMPENSATORY ALLOWANCE

The undersigned is directed to say that consequent upon the Government decision on the recommendation of the Fourth Meghalaya Pay Commission at item 6 of the Resolution, the Governor of Meghalaya is pleased to order payment of the Hill Compensatory Allowance at a uniform rate of Rs. 300/- p. m. to all State Government employees including members of the All India Services irrespective of the place of posting within the State.

The arrears accruing on account of the revised rates of Hill Compensatory Allowance herein sanctioned shall be released in cash to all State Government employees.

The expenditure on account of Hill Compensatory Allowance at the revised rates herein sanctioned shall be debited to the head of account from which the employees draw their pay/salaries.

This order shall take effect from 1st September, 2009.

B. K. DEV VARMA,
Principal Secretary to the Govt. of Meghalaya,
Finance Department.

**GOVERNMENT OF MEGHALAYA
FINANCE (PAY REVISION) DEPARTMENT**

The 17th September, 2009.

No.F(PR)-48/2009/1.

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Subject:- HOUSE RENT ALLOWANCE.

The undersigned is directed to say that consequent upon the decision of the Government on the recommendation of the Fourth Meghalaya Pay Commission at Item 5 of the Resolution, the Governor of Meghalaya is pleased to sanction the grant of House Rent Allowance to all State Government employees at the rates indicated below:-

<u>Classification of cities/towns and other areas</u>	<u>Rate of House Rent Allowance</u>
(i) Greater Shillong Area	15% of basic pay subject to a maximum of Rs. 4,000/- p. m.
(ii) District Headquarters	12½ % of basic pay subject to a maximum of Rs. 3,000/- p. m.
(iii) Other Areas	10% of basic pay subject to a maximum of Rs. 2,500/- p. m.

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2. The Governor of Meghalaya is also pleased to order that payment of House Rent Allowance herein sanctioned shall not be authorized in the following cases :-
 - (a) Employees who have been offered suitable accommodation but have refused the same.
 - (b) Employees who have been allotted with Government accommodation but have failed to occupy the said accommodation.
 - (c) Government employees provided with Government owned/hired accommodation.
 - (d) Female Government employees residing in Workmen Women's Hostel, Shillong or elsewhere in Government run hostels.
 - (e) Government employee who shares Government accommodation allotted rent free to another Government employee.
 - (f) Government employee who resides in accommodation allotted to his wife/her husband or to his/her parents/son/daughter by the State Government, an Autonomous Public Sector undertaking or Semi-Government Organisation, such as Municipality, etc.
 3. In respect of those employees who opt to retain their pre-revised scales of pay, the pay for the purpose of this order shall also include, in addition to the basic pay in the applicable pre-revised scales, stagnation increment(s) and Dearness Pay as per orders in force on 1st January, 2007.
 4. Drawal of House Rent Allowance at the above revised rates shall be subject to the following conditions :-
 - (a) Employees drawing pay not exceeding Rs. 26,700/- p.m. shall not be required to produce rent receipts. They shall however be required to furnish a certificate to the effect that they are incurring some expenditure on rent/contributing towards rent.
 - (b) For employees drawing pay above Rs. 26,700/- p. m. drawal of House Rent Allowance will be subject to production of Certificate to the effect that expenditure not less than the quantum of House Rent Allowance is being incurred on rent.
 - (c) For those living in their own houses drawal of House Rent Allowance will be subject to production of Certificate to the effect that expenditure not less than the quantum of House Rent Allowance is being incurred on Municipal Taxes/Rates repairs, etc.
 5. The arrears accruing on account of this order shall be released in cash to all State Government employees.
 6. The expenditure on the payment of the House Rent Allowance at the revised rates herein sanctioned shall be debited to the Head of account from which the employees draw their salaries.
 7. This order shall take effect from 1st September, 2009.

B. K. DEV VARMA,
Principal Secretary to the Govt. of Meghalaya,
Finance Department.

**GOVERNMENT OF MEGHALAYA
FINANCE (PAY REVISION) DEPARTMENT**

The 22nd September, 2009.

No.F(PR)-54/2009/1.

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Subject :- WINTER ALLOWANCE.

The undersigned is directed to say that consequent upon the decision of the Government on the recommendation of the Fourth Meghalaya Pay Commission at Item 7 of the Resolution, the Governor of Meghalaya is pleased to sanction Winter Allowance at the rate of Rs. 400/- p. m. to all categories of State Government employees, including members of the All India Service stationed at places with an elevation of 1000 metres above mean sea level. The allowance shall be admissible for a period of four month, commencing from the month of November to the month of February.

The expenditure on account of payment of Winter Allowance shall be debited to the head of account from which the Government employees draw their salaries.

This order shall take effect from 1st November, 2009.

The list of stations where Winter Allowance is admissible is given in the Appendix to this Office Memorandum.

B. K. DEV VARMA,
Principal Secretary to the Govt. of Meghalaya,
Finance Department.

APPENDIX

List of Stations where Winter Allowance is admissible.

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| 1. Amlarem | 45. Mustem |
| 2. Bapung | 46. Muthlong |
| 3. Borato | 47. Mynska |
| 4. Bynrai | 48. Mynso |
| 5. Cherrapunji | 49. Namdong |
| 6. Jakrem | 50. Nartiang |
| 7. Jarain | 51. Nongbah |
| 8. Jatah | 52. Nongjngi |
| 9. Jathang | 53. Nongkhlaw |
| 10. Jongksha, East Khasi Hills. | 54. Nongkhroh |
| 11. Jowai | 55. Nongkynrih |
| 12. Khlieh Rongnah | 56. Nonglatem |
| 13. Khliehriat | 57. Nongspung |
| 14. Khliehtyrshi | 58. Nongstoin |
| 15. Khonshnong | 59. Nongthliew |
| 16. Kmawan | 60. Nongum |
| 17. Kynshi | 61. Padu |
| 18. Laitkroh | 62. Pammanik |
| 19. Laitlyngkot | 63. Pammura |
| 20. Laitmawsiang | 64. Pasih |
| 21. Laitryngew | 65. Puriang |
| 22. Lamai | 66. Pynursla |
| 23. Langkyrdem | 67. Raliang |
| 24. Laskein | 68. Rymbai |
| 25. Lawblei | 69. Saipung |
| 26. Lawmei | 70. Shangpung |
| 27. Mairang | 71. Shillong |
| 28. Markasa | 72. Smit |
| 29. Marshillong | 73. Sohiong |
| 30. Maulsei, Jaintia Hills. | 74. Sohkynphor |
| 31. Mawdymmai | 75. Sohmynting |
| 32. Mawkynew | 76. Sohrarim |
| 33. Mawkyrwat | 77. Sohryngkham |
| 34. Mawngap | 78. Sutnga |
| 35. Mawphlang | 79. Swer |
| 36. Mawryngkneng | 80. Thadlaskein |
| 37. Mawsmai | 81. Thadmuthlong |
| 38. Mawsynram | 82. Thuruk |
| 39. Mawthawpdah, West Khasi Hills. | 83. Tongseng |
| 40. Mookaiaw | 84. Umlyngmar |
| 41. Mookyndiang | 85. Ummulong |
| 42. Mookyndur | 86. Upper Shillong |
| 43. Mulang | 87. Wahajer |
| 44. Mupliang | 88. Wahrit |

**GOVERNMENT OF MEGHALAYA
FINANCE (PAY REVISION) DEPARTMENT**

The 29th September, 2009.

No.F(PR)-59/2009/1.

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Subject:- Transfer Travelling Allowance-Composit Transfer Grant.

The undersigned is directed to say that consequent upon the decesion taken by the Government vide Item 8.3. of the Government Resolution on the recommendations of the Fourth Meghalaya Pay Commission relating to the existing provisions of Transfer Grant and Packing Allowance, the Governor of Meghalaya is pleased to order that in lieu thereof, the employee(s) on transfer in public interest within the State and N. E. Region or outside the North-East Region, will be allowed a Composite Transfer Grant equal to one month's basic pay. It shall, however, be not admissible if no change of residence is involved even where the distance between the two stations is more than 20 km.

These orders shall take effect from 1st September, 2009.

Amendment to the Meghalaya Travelling Allowance Rules, 1985 will be made in due course.

B. K. DEV VARMA,
Principal Secretary to the Government of Meghalaya,
Finance Department.

**GOVERNMENT OF MEGHALAYA
FINANCE (PAY REVISION) DEPARTMENT**

The 22nd September, 2009.

No. F(PR)-70/2009/3.

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Subject :- Gradation of employees for the purpose of Travelling Allowance.

The undersigned is directed to say that consequent upon the Government decision on the recommendations of the Fourth Meghalaya Pay Commission at item 13.14. of the Resolution, the Governor of Meghalaya is pleased to revise the existing gradation of government employees for the purpose of Travelling Allowance as under:-

Grade I	-	All employees drawing pay of Rs. 26,700/- p. m. and above.
Grade II	-	All employees drawing pay of Rs.14,700/- p. m. and above but below Rs. 26,700/- p.m.
Grade III	-	All employees drawing pay above Rs.12,700/- p. m. but below Rs. 14,700/- p. m.
Grade IV	-	All employees drawing pay of Rs.12,700/- p. m. and below.

These orders shall take immediate effect. Formal amendment to the Meghalaya Travelling Allowance Rules, 1995 shall be made in due course.

B. K. DEV VARMA,
Principal Secretary to the Government of Meghalaya,
Finance Department.

**GOVERNMENT OF MEGHALAYA
FINANCE (PAY REVISION) DEPARTMENT**

The 22nd September, 2009.

No.F(PR)-70/2009/1.

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Subject :- Reclassification of services/posts.

The undersigned is directed to refer to item 13.13. of Government Resolution on the recommendations of the Fourth Meghalaya Pay Commission and to say that in pursuance thereof, the Governor of Meghalaya is pleased to order that the classification of services/posts shall be as follows:-

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| Group 'A' | - | All posts in the revised scales of pay the maximum of which is Rs. 33,690/- and above. |
| Group 'B' | - | All posts in the revised scales of pay the maximum of which is Rs. 27,510/- and above but below Rs. 33,690/-. |
| Group 'C' | - | All posts in the revised scales of pay the maximum of which is Rs.13,840/- and above but below Rs. 27,510/-. |
| Group 'D' | - | All posts in the revised scales of pay the maximum of which is Rs.12,700/-. |

These orders shall be deemed to have taken effect from 1st January, 2007. Formal amendment to the Meghalaya Fundamental & Subsidiary Rules, 1984 shall be made in due course.

B. K. DEV VARMA,
Principal Secretary to the Government of Meghalaya,
Finance Department.

**GOVERNMENT OF MEGHALAYA
FINANCE (PAY REVISION) DEPARTMENT**

The 23rd September, 2009.

No.F(PR)-57/2009/17.

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Subject :- PETROL RE-IMBURSEMENT FACILITY.

The undersigned is directed to refer to item 8.5. of Government Resolution on the recommendations of the Fourth Meghalaya Pay Commission and to say that the Governor of Meghalaya is pleased to decide that Petrol Re-imbursement Facility shall be granted to the following categories of government employees for journeys performed by them within 8 kms. of headquarters at the rates specified against each:-

Sl. No.	Designation of Officers	Rates of Petrol Re-imbursement Facility	Remarks
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
1.	Chief Secretary to the Government of Meghalaya	115 litres of petrol & 3 litres of Mobil oil	
2.	Additional Chief Secretary/Principal Secretary/Commissioner & Secretary to the Government of Meghalaya	75 litres of petrol & 2 litres of Mobil oil	
3.	Commissioner of Division	75 litres of petrol & 2 litres of Mobil oil	
4.	Secretaries and Secretariat Officers of equivalent rank who have allotted vehicles.	65 litres of petrol & 1.5 litres of Mobil oil	
5.	All Heads of Departments.	65 litres of petrol & 1.5 litres of Mobil oil	
6.	Deputy Commissioner and Superintendent of Police, East Khasi Hills District.	115 litres of petrol & 3 litres of Mobil oil	
7.	All Deputy Commissioners and Superintendents of Police other than Sl.6 above.	65 litres of petrol & 1.5 litres of Mobil oil	
8.	All District Medical & Health Officers	20 litres of petrol	
9.	(a) Estate Officer (GAD)	40 litres of petrol	
	(b) Sectional Officer (Elect)/ Sectional Officer (Civil) under Estate Office	15 litres of petrol	
10.	(i) All Executive Engineers (Building)	20 litres of petrol	
	(ii) Sub-Divisional Officers (Building)	25 litres of petrol	
	(iii) Sectional Officers(Building)	15 litres of petrol	
	(iv) Section Assistants(Building)	15 litres of petrol	
11.	Sub-Divisional Officer, Meghalaya House, New Delhi	40 litres of petrol	
12.	Protocol Officer, Meghalaya	65 litres of petrol & 1.5 litres of Mobil oil	
13.	Medical & Health Officer, District Jail, Shillong.	20 litres of petrol	

Sl. No.	Designation of Officers	Rates of Petrol Re-imbursement Facility	Remarks
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
14.	Inspectors, Sub-Inspectors & Asstt. Sub-Inspectors of Police	15 litres of petrol	Subject to allotted vehicles/maintenance of own conveyances.
15.	Inspectors of Supply, O/o. the Movement Officer, Meghalaya House, Guwahati.	25 litres of petrol	
16.	Resident Commissioner, New Delhi	115 litres of petrol & 3 litres of Mobil oil	
17.	Trade Adviser & Director of Movement, Kolkata	75 litres of petrol & 2 litres of Mobil oil	
18.	P.P.S. to Chief Minister	95 litres of petrol & 2 litres of Mobil oil	
19.	Deputy Examiner of Local Accounts	20 litres of petrol	
2.	The Governor of Meghalaya is also pleased to decide that the amount of Conveyance Allowance for the Estate Assistant, Office of the Estate Officer (G.A.D.) shall be raised from the existing rate of Rs.150/- p.m. to Rs. 300/- p. m.		
3.	These orders shall take effect from 1st September, 2009.		
4.	Formal amendments to the Meghalaya Travelling Allowance Rules, 1985 shall be made in due course.		

B. K. DEV VARMA,
Principal Secretary to the Government of Meghalaya,
Finance Department.